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Eden Majority Slashed In Warwick By-Election

BRISTOL WEST MARGIN CUT

London, Mar. 7. Voters in by-elections today dealt fresh blows at the Conservative Government's prestige, slashing its majority in Sir Anthony Eden's former seat, Warwick and Leamington, by five-sixths, and in Bristol West by one-third.

At Warwick and Leamington, the Government majority fell by more than 11,000, and the Conservative's share of the total votes polled slumped by a new record figure of 12 per cent.

Nasser Lifts Bonnet Ban

Cairo, Mar. 7. The Egyptian sponsored Middle East News Agency said tonight the explosives in the tug Edgar Bonnet would be completely removed within 24 hours and the United Nations could then clear it from the Suez Canal.

This should allow ships of up to 10,000 tons to use the Canal.—China Mail Special.

EUROPE HAILS PETROL NEWS

London, Mar. 7. Europe today looked to welcome relief from petrol shortages following Syria's decision yesterday to repair blown-up oil pipelines.

Joyful British headlines announced that Persian Gulf oil would probably start flowing from Iraq in two weeks at a monthly rate of about 800,000 tons.

Some papers predicted an end to Britain's tight petrol rationing by June.

Although Europe's main oil lifeline, the Suez Canal, remains blocked, the now oil flow will provide relief to countries which have lived for months with petrol-saving contraptions, Sunday driving bans and unconfidential high fuel prices.

The London Times reported today that the oil expected to flow shortly from Iraq represented about ten per cent of Europe's consumption—a vital per cent.

The reopening of the Syrian pipelines will also mean a reduction in costly dollar oil imports from the United States. Trans-Atlantic tankers carrying about 400,000 tons a month are expected to be diverted to the Mediterranean as soon as possible.—United Press.

A new opportunity presents itself for bringing to an end the state of war which exists between Egypt and Israel and it is one which calls for active participation by the United Nations. Egypt's obligations to acknowledge the voice of the world organisation are no less than those of all other members, and if necessary, she must be made to accept its decisions.

In Tomorrow's China Mail

The Michael Parker story continues exclusively in tomorrow's feature-packed edition of the China Mail. Don't miss the conclusion of this popular series.

It is only one of the ton-ton features you'll find in a paper which includes tomorrow's tips for the meeting at the Valley, Giles, local and overseas pictures and all your regular favourites.

★ Gaoi birds are risking their lives as cancer guinea pigs;

★ The land of thawing Communism;

★ Eoka resistance has hardened into a general resistance to British policy, says a report from Cyprus;

★ A Hongkong magazine you'll want to see more of;

These are some other highlights in tomorrow's China Mail.

12,000 JAPANESE TO GO TO ETHIOPIA

London, Mar. 7. Twelve thousand Japanese are to emigrate to Ethiopia to establish a textile industry, it was disclosed.

A group of leading technicians are already on their way from Japan as the advance party of the first large-scale Japanese emigration to Africa.

A spokesman for the Ethiopian and Japanese Embassies here gave details of the project.

An Ethiopian Embassy official said: "The Emperor Haile Selassie wants to start a textile industry. He tried to get help in

Early Voters In Today's Urban Council Election



Three nuns on their way to vote at the Hongkong polling station this morning. (Staff Photographer).

RECORD MORNING POLL AT HONGKONG BOOTH

A record number of Hongkong citizens this morning turned out at the polling booths to elect four candidates to fill vacancies in the Urban Council.

By 11 a.m. 1,130 votes had been cast at the reclamation site booth in Hongkong. This is 239 more than the votes cast at the same time last year, although this year's electoral voters have been increased by 23 per cent.

At noon, 1,841 votes had been cast compared with 1,338 at the same time on last election day.

At 12:30 p.m., voting figures were 1,711, compared with 1,085

last election day.

Eight candidates—four repre-

senting the Civic Association and four, the Reform Club—are con-

testing the election.

5.30 A.M. START

The four vacancies were caused by the retirement of Mr Brook Bernacchi and Mr P. C. Wong of the Reform Club, and Mr Li Yiu-bor and Dr P. F. Wong of the Civic Association, all of whom are seeking re-election.

The four other candidates are Mr David S. C. Lam and Mr S. N. Li of the Reform Club and Mr Barry K. Alipot and Mr Hilton Cheong-Leen of the Civic Association.

Before declaring the polling open, at the stroke of 8, Mr J. Hurlbatt, the Presiding Officer, Hongkong, invited the candidates to inspect the six ballot boxes to ascertain that they were all intact before they were sealed.

Mr Bernacchi, who was reported to have arrived at the polling booth at 5.30 a.m., was the first candidate to cast his ballot at 8.01. He was followed by six other candidates. Mr Li Yiu-bor was seen to cast his shortly after 10 a.m.

FIVE NUNS

The first member of the general public to vote was a European lady who slipped her ballot paper in the box at 8.04. She was followed by a group of five nuns.

In the first half hour 93 people registered their votes compared with 95 last year. Notable among the voters were groups of nuns who came throughout the morning. By 10 a.m. 78 nuns had registered their votes. During the same period there were two priests who voted.

Reward For Grivas May Be Reduced

The voters came in a steady stream. There was no waiting and no queue was formed. They were quickly and carefully checked before given their ballots by the 35 officers under

My Hurlbatt inside the build-

ing.

The heaviest polling so far was the half hour before 11 a.m. when 251 votes were cast.

There was an air of festivity outside the polling booth: pennants, banners, streamers and posters proclaiming the candidates were put up along the approaches to the booth. Workers for the candidates lined up to pass out hand-bills to prospective voters.

AT KOWLOON

At the Kowloon Polling Station at Yaumati Government School, Public Square Street, voting began at 6 a.m. and by noon 374 had cast their votes.

The first voter to cast his vote was Dr R. H. S. Lee, an elected Council member and also the polling agent for the Reform Club candidates.

Voting at the four booths began slowly and in the first half hour, only 14 had voted. Five voters appeared in the next half hour, but the total figure rose to 100 by 10 a.m. At 11 a.m. a total of 208 had cast their votes.

Posters both by the Reform Club and the Civic Association asking for block votes were displayed around the school building and the neighbouring playing field.

TEACHERS

It appeared that voters at Kowloon this morning were chiefly teachers and arrived at the Polling Station shortly after 10 a.m. in groups of tens and 20s.

Among these voters were also sisters of Roman Catholic religious orders.

It is understood that a total of 2,100 have registered to vote at the Kowloon Station. This represents a slight increase over the figure for last year.

The Presiding Officer at Kowloon is Mr K. W. J. Topley, assisted by Mr J. A. Fortune. Mr J. Flynn is the Counting Officer.

Rafta, Sinai, Mar. 7.

The last Israeli troops left Rafta today as tanks, buses, half-track trucks and lorries began to move eastwards into Israel thus completing the withdrawal operation which began last night.—Reuters.

US PLANS FANTASTIC ATOMIC AIRCRAFT CARRIER

From Christopher Dobson

New York, Mar. 7. One of the most fantastic war weapons of all time is being planned by the United States Navy. It is an aircraft-carrier powered by eight atomic reactors.

Admiral Albert G. Mumma, who is in charge of developing the ship, makes these points about her.

★ Its air-conditioning system will be more than for two Empire State buildings.

★ Its atomic reactors will be able to generate enough electricity for a city of more than a million people.

★ The hangar deck for the aircraft will be big enough to lay out three full-sized football pitches.

★ She will weigh 70,000 tons, travel at 30 knots, and will be kept at sea without refuelling on only a few handfuls of atomic fuel.

This is just the beginning. The Navy plans six of these atomic carriers to be in operation in 10 years' time. Cost: \$300 million each. London Express Service.

IRA RAID

Belfast, Mar. 7. About 50 raiders armed with Police Station at Derrylin in County Fermanagh with rifle and machine-guns fire on the hour before police and troop reinforcements drove them off.

One policeman was shot in the head and was reported in a "serious" condition. The police believed several of the raiders were wounded, but none was left behind when the gunners withdrew.—United Press.

ALL OUT

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Eden Ill Again

Auckland, Mar. 8.

Sir Anthony Eden (the former British Prime Minister) has suffered another attack of high fever, but there was no abdominal pain, it was stated today.—Reuters.

Budget Day

London, Mar. 7.

The Prime Minister, Mr Harold Macmillan, said the Budget will be presented to the House of Commons on April 9.—United Press.

Eoka Men Die

Nicosia, Mar. 7.

Two Cypriot Greek gunners were killed in a gun battle with British troops in West Cyprus today.—France-Press.

BLOCK VOTE For REFORM CLUB'S CANDIDATES



ELECTION TIPS

1. Please bring your identity card or other means of identification and also bring your voting card if you have received one.
2. To get things done vote for the Reform Club's candidates on bloc.

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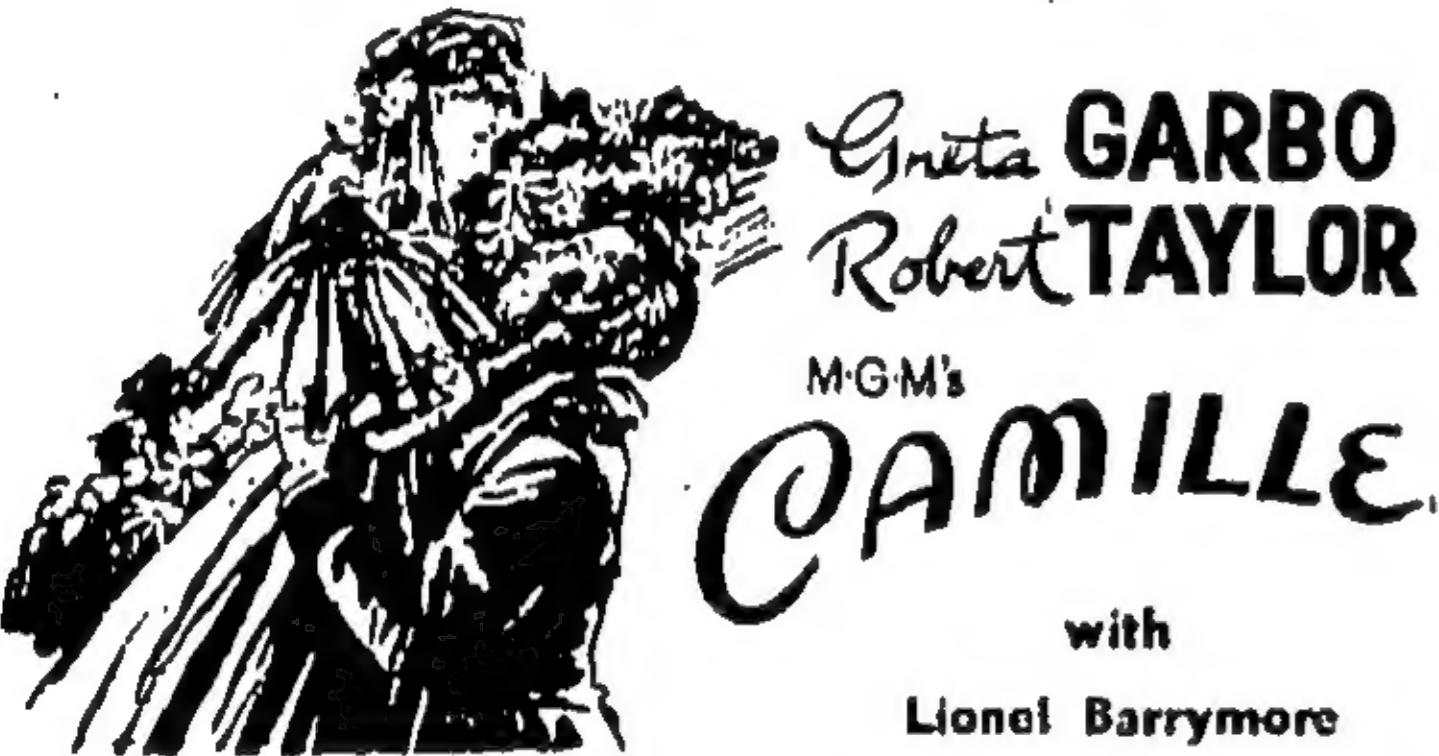
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BERMUDA MEETING MUST RE-LAUNCH ALLIANCE

British Ambassador Appeals To America

Dallas, Mar. 7.

The British Ambassador, Sir Harold Caccia, said in a speech here tonight that the forthcoming Bermuda meeting between President Eisenhower and Mr Harold Macmillan, Prime Minister of Britain, must repair and re-launch the Anglo-American partnership.

MOSLEM OFFICERS PUNISHED

Paris, Mar. 7.

The French National Defence Ministry announced today that five Moslem French army officers were punished recently for acts of indiscipline in the normal exercise of their military activities.

The Ministry said that it was not the custom to give the reasons for sanctions of this nature.

An investigation has been opened by the army in view of possible action against certain propagandists seeking to demoralize the army, the Ministry said.

It was added that certain officers had been questioned concerning this matter.

LETTER TO COTY

Several Paris evening newspapers tonight reported that some 30 French army officers of Algerian-Moslem origin have sent a letter to the French President, Rene Coty.

According to the newspapers, the Moslem officers said that if the French policy in Algeria was not directed towards a just solution, they would have no longer the means nor valid reasons for justifying their mission in the French army.

The Moslem officers reportedly told President Coty that they had not been moved by any spirit of rebellion. — France Presse.

**Koreans Plan
Goodwill
Tour?**

Seoul, Mar. 7. Two Foreign Ministry officials quietly left for Saigon today amid speculation that they will join Republic of Korea's Minister Choi Duk Shin at the South Vietnamese capital and embark on a goodwill tour of Asian countries.

But the Ministry refused to confirm that protocol officer Chang Yoon Kul and an assistant were going to Saigon for that purpose.

Soldier-diplomat Choi conferred with home government officials here last month and during his stay it was widely reported that he would head a R.O.K. goodwill mission to a number of Southeast Asian countries including those with "neutralist" leanings.

Other reports today said more officials may soon leave Saigon to join the group. — United Press.

Sir Harold spoke at a dinner given by the Dallas Council on World Affairs.

He added that the Suez crisis was not the only reason for the Bermuda meeting. He said an alliance, like military equipment, could easily become obsolete if it did not adapt to changing circumstances and was kept under continual review.

Warning of the gravity of the present world situation, Sir Harold said:

Changing Pattern

"If our two countries are to survive, the application of our policies must be adapted rapidly and continuously to the changing pattern of world events."

He said the size of this threat was pointed up after the British Suez intervention when Russia "offered to act in concert with the United States against Britain and threatened to bombard London with rockets."

The envoy defended British action in reducing Britain's NATO contribution.

"We shall continue to contribute our full share to these forces," he said, "but we feel that we have been contributing more than our fair share in money, men and materials. Now for economic reasons we must reduce."

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Britain Concerned Over Indonesia

Full Support For Australian Objections On West New Guinea Question

Canberra, Mar. 7. The Secretary of State for Commonwealth Relations, the Earl of Home, said today that his country was concerned about developments in Indonesia but denied that there was any evidence suggesting that the Communists would take control.



EARL OF HOME

French Ship Held Up By Reds

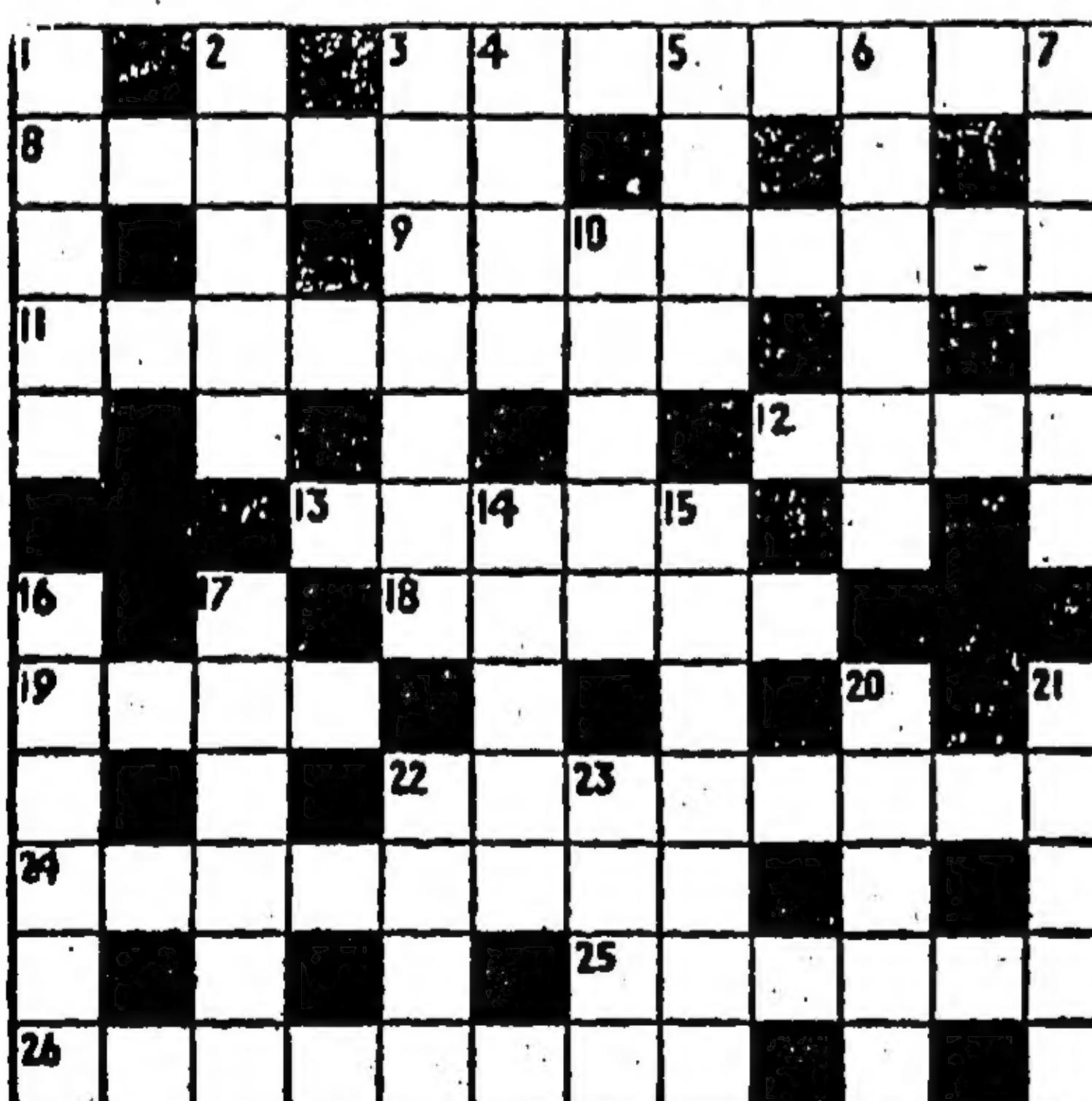
Hanoi, Mar. 7. A French cargo vessel, loaded with coal destined for Japan, has been held under armed guard in the North Vietnamese port of Campha for the past six days, it was learned in Hanoi today.

The Taurus, loaded with 4,500 tons of Vietnamese anthracite, was being held at the demand of the Chinese Communist authorities, in order to "facilitate the investigation" of an incident which occurred off Vietnam, when the Taurus collided with a Chinese junk. Five members of the crew of the junk were never found, while three were rescued by the French ship.

After two investigations, the French authorities here maintained that the junk was responsible for the collision, while the Chinese authorities said the French ship was responsible.

The Taurus had been scheduled to leave for Japan with its cargo on March 1.—France Presse.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS
 3 Phantoms (8).
 8 Shrewd (6).
 9 Attempting (8).
 11 But would it not also take you down? (8).
 12 Keen (4).
 13 Lukewarm (5).
 18 Equestrian (5).
 19 Periods (4).
 22 Legislators (8).
 24 Bullion (6).
 25 Robust (6).
 26 Calls together (6).

DOWN

1 Refuge (6).
 2 Guido (5).
 3 Vessel (7).
 4 Nuisance (4).
 5 Scorch (4).
 6 The fruit's dry even if it is in the rain (6).
 7 Dropped (6).
 10 Substantial (6).
 14 Longed for (6).
 15 Leaves (7).
 16 Feverish (6).
 17 Infertile (6).
 20 Punctuation mark (6).
 21 Custom (6).
 22 Secure (4).
 23 Nozzle (4).

THURSDAY'S CROSSWORD — Across: 3 Exploded, 7 Laurn, 8 Starlets, 10 Shines, 13 Popular, 15 Star, 17 Decent, 18 Problem, 20 ribs, 21 Diverso, 22 Sawyer, 23 Princed, 26 Eat up, 29 Re-enter, Down: 1 Clew, 2 Tulip, 3 Basal, 4 Lark, 5 Dint, 6 Desert, 9 Traded, 11 Hour, 12 Numb, 14 Remias, 15 Below, 16 Amis, 18 Proper, 19 Chilgo, 22 Vacas, 23 Rydes, 24 Erupt, 26 Scot.

Russia Increases Whaling Fleet

Capetown, Mar. 7. The Soviet whaling fleet has stolen a march over other fleets in the Antarctic this season, Captain Carl A. Carlsen of the Norwegian tanker Pontos revealed here today.

While the Japanese, British, Norwegian and South African fleets all agreed to reduce their catcher fleets to 12 vessels, the Russians turned up in the Antarctic Ocean with an augmented fleet of 18 vessels.

This is three vessels larger than the fleet Russians took south last summer and will probably ensure for them the biggest individual catch of the season.

Pontos docked in Durban last night after spending a month in the Antarctic. Meanwhile, sources in Oslo disclosed that a Japanese whaling company is at present negotiating for the purchase of a Norwegian factory ship, the Suderby, and five catchers.

The Japanese company, whose name was not disclosed, plans to use the whaling fleet in the Arctic Ocean and not the usual Antarctic route, these sources said. The fleet reportedly will be sold for 21 million Norwegian crowns. This includes 12 million crowns for the purchase of the factory ship. The whaling fleet will be delivered to Japan before the end of the year, informed sources said.—China Mail Special and France-Presse.

No Great Impact

The Suez crisis had no great impact on Britain's economic and trading position, he said, but admitted his country would have to buy oil with dollars if the Canal remained closed for long, creating a more serious situation.

He expressed the belief that the United Nations would have failed unless it ensured the Canal as a free international waterway and protected Israel's borders. He said that the Gulf of Aqaba should also be an international waterway.

President Nasser, he said, had been deflated as the military leader of the Arab world. He added that the Arab world was not happy with Nasser's close-up with Russia.

Lord Home said Britain regarded SEATO as of immensce importance because "if there was one lesson learned in the last 10 years it was that communism appeared on many fronts and it should be faced with a united front."

First Objective

Russia's first objective, he said, was to overrun Europe. The Soviet's second aim was to try to secure Middle Eastern oil and the third was to drive the West from Southeast Asia, he added.

Pan-African Conference Possible

Accra, Mar. 7.

Dr Kwame Nkrumah, Prime Minister of the two-day-old independent West African state of Ghana told reporters here that it was possible in the near future that he would convene a pan-American conference of independent states.

Replies to questions, he added: "We want to give territories in Africa an African personality and the only way we can do that is to call such a conference."

Those invited would include Tunisia, Libya, Morocco, Ethiopia, Sudan, Egypt, Liberia and possibly—as a gesture—South Africa.

EVOLVE PRINCIPLE

Such a conference might evolve a principle by which indigenous populations of other colonial territories could be approached through their respective governments, he added.

Asked whether Ghana would join the Afro-Asian bloc of countries, he said various independent states of Africa must first come together.

"We must first get to know our own line of thought before approaching any other bloc," he said.

Adding that Ghana wished to maintain her identity and independence and not be submerged in any group.

Dr Nkrumah said Ghana would initially have a high commissioner in London and New Delhi and embassies in Washington, Paris and Liberia. Representation in South Africa had been discussed. This would not prove difficult but nothing was immediately envisaged. Representation in East Africa and the colonies would also be considered.

IN COMMONWEALTH

Asked about a possible federation of West Africa, the Prime Minister said: "If I can do anything to bring it about I shall with pleasure."

He had no intention of pressing for a republic but if the population insisted, the furthest he would be prepared to go would be a republic within the Commonwealth.

He would welcome the incorporation of French Togoland, if French Togoland desired it but would not part with British Togoland. "What we have, we hold," he said.—Reuters.

Electronic Reader Demonstration



ITALIAN COALITION TOTTERING

Rome, Mar. 7. Italy's centre coalition government, which scraped through a vote of confidence in Parliament last week with a margin of three votes, was close to a crisis again tonight as Social Democrat leaders differed sharply on whether to remain loyal to it.

Signor Matteo Matteotti, secretary of the party and son of Giacomo Matteotti, who was beaten to death by Fascist thugs in 1924, formally resigned today and demanded that the party quit the Government.

After an inconclusive debate throughout the day the party directorate was expected to decide tomorrow whether to accept his resignation and whether to stay in the Government.

Small Majority

Signor Giuseppe Saragat, the party leader and Vice-Premier, who advocated remaining in the Government for the time being, was expected to command a small majority of the 21 members of the directorate in tomorrow's decision.

Signor Saragat said that if the Social Democrats left the Government now they would be forced into a too rapid merger with Signor Pietro Nenni's Socialist Party.

He said that by remaining in the Government, they could induce Signor Nenni and his followers to make further progress towards adopting the Social Democrats' political beliefs.

He said that it was particularly necessary to oblige the Socialists to give definite undertakings that they would not in future try to break Italy's alliances with the West and that they would seek to withdraw their followers from Communist domination in the General Confederation of Labour, the country's biggest labour organisation.

Signor Saragat was later received by Italian President Giovanni Gronchi at the Quirinal Palace, the president's official residence. — China Mail Special.

Severe Strain

A parliamentary vote on the nomination would cause a severe strain in the Social Democrat ranks and a revolt by only three or four would imperil the Government.

The note, according to the sources, said Britain had landed paratroopers with heavy equipment ready for a large-scale attack on the Yemen.—Reuters.

Alleged Plan To Attack The Yemen

Damascus, Mar. 7. Syria alleged in notes to heads of diplomatic missions here today that Britain was planning a large-scale attack on the Yemen, according to Foreign Ministry sources.

The Ministry asked the diplomatic chiefs to draw their government's attention to the "grave situation" in the Yemen, which faces British aggression.

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Communists, Nehru In Close Race

New Delhi, Mar. 7. The Communist Party was today running neck and neck with Mr Nehru's Congress Party in the elections in the key South Indian state of Kerala, where the Communists are making their strongest bid for power.

In results so far announced for the 126-seat State Assembly, Congress and the Communists have won 12 each, Praja Socialists seven and Independents one. Congress, Communists and Independents have each so far won one of the 18 Kerala seats in the Central Parliament.

The Communists, who won all three seats in the Kerala Assembly for which results were announced today, scored their biggest victory in the Chirayath constituency when Mr M. K. Kumaran won a seat in the central Parliament with a 9,611 vote majority.

Biggest Majority

It was the biggest majority so far in the Kerala elections. Mr Kumaran is editor of the local daily newspaper Kerala Kaumudi.

All three seats won by the Communists in the Kerala State Assembly today were gained for them—one from the Congress Party, one from the Praja Socialists and one from the near-Communist Revolutionary Socialist Party.

In Bhopal, a Communist candidate defeated a Congress nominee by more than 16,000 votes, and in Birbhum the Minister for Development, Mr Babubhai Patel, was beaten by a candidate of the leftist Mahajati Parishad.

Mr Patel was defeated by Mr Mahendra Desai, whose mother was campaigning in favour of the Minister.

It was the first major victory for the Parishad, which demands a Gujarati-speaking state separate from the present bilingual Bombay State, and has Gujarati candidates standing against the Ministers of Education and Labour.

Only Challenge

Results from 12 states declared tonight gave Congress 518 seats in State assemblies. Only in Kerala were there open seats. In its position to challenge their supremacy.—Reuters.

Ghana's Stand On Mideast Affairs Tested

Accra, Mar. 7. The Tunisian Prime Minister, Mr Habib Bourguiba, visiting here as a guest of the State to attend the birth of this native Negro State, has stressed the need for a common stand in Arab affairs, in his current talks, with Premier Kwame Nkrumah, well-informed sources reported today.

Although official spokesmen were determined not to disclose details of their talks, it was speculated that Mr Bourguiba, in the absence of President Nasser of Egypt, has been testing Premier Nkrumah's pulse as to Ghana's future stand in the United Nations regarding Middle East affairs.

Since his arrival here Mr Bourguiba has seen a number of other African leaders reportedly with the same object.

UPHOLD INDEPENDENCE

He was believed to have impressed on Dr Nkrumah and others that Ghana should strive to uphold its independence in foreign affairs lest its attitude toward North Africa should be dictated from outside.

The sources also believed that Mr Bourguiba has given Dr Nkrumah some advice on the immediate problems of running a newborn state. They pointed to Dr Nkrumah's assumption of the External Affairs and Defence portfolios, which came as a surprise after two Ministers had already been named for the posts.

The sources believed that the decision was taken on Premier Bourguiba's advice. Bourguiba was reported to have told Premier Nkrumah that these Ministers needed careful handling in the initial stages and firm policies must first be established.—United Press.

QUEEN MARY OVERHAUL

St Laurent

Asked To Explain Statement

Ottawa, Mar. 7.

The Canadian Prime Minister, Mr Louis St Laurent, was asked in the House of Commons today for clarification of his statement yesterday on Suez Canal clearance, in which he said: "It is quite true that unless there is acquiescence—and there should be acquiescence—in the attitudes adopted by the majority of members of the United Nations, the only alternative would be the use of force to overcome resistance, and I hope that that will not become necessary."

Mr St Laurent was asked whether that statement referred to collective United Nations action, or action by individual nations.

ONLY ALTERNATIVE

Mr St Laurent replied that he did not mean collective United Nations action.

"The only alternative to obtaining the acquiescence of the government of the area where the force was to be placed would be the resumption of the use of force," he added.

Mr St Laurent said he was not suggesting that force be used.

"I thought I was pointing out an alternative that could not be overlooked," he said.—Reuters.



So big is this propeller of the Cunard liner Queen Mary that a man lies comfortably in the hole. He is a fitter's mate and is resting with a sparred in readiness for the refitting of the propeller to the 51,237-ton ship, which is going into a annual overhaul in drydock at Southampton.

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'The Queen and The Man She Loves'... by LEONARD MOSLEY

THE TRICKIEST JOB ANY FATHER CAN HAVE

of the world's most powerful empire. He was only too well aware that he could never be King of England himself, but he was determined that his son, who inherited the position by right of birth and blood, should be prepared for his heritage by a rigorous programme of education designed to remind him of the responsibility of his future.

When Bertie was just eight years old (the age Prince Charles is today) Albert drew up a portentous scheme for the benefit of his new tutor, who went under the appropriate name of Birch.

The scheme included, each day: Religion: half an hour. English: one hour. Writing: half an hour. French: one hour. Music: half an hour. Calculating: half an hour. German: one hour. Drawing: half an hour. Geography: half an hour.

And then Albert added: "It will be well to let mental and more mechanical exertion alternate in order not to strain the intellect or wear out the patience of the child."

But soon Albert decided that this regime was by no means stringent enough. He suspected his son of taking life too flippantly, and dismissed Birch in favour of first one and then other tutors who could be relied on to keep the smile off his lips and the twinkle out of his eye.

POOR BERTIE

HE was determined that Bertie should appreciate the good fortune he had achieved by being born the eldest son of a reigning queen.

Poor Bertie! No wonder that after his father's death he unloosened his belt and began to relax.

So long as his father was alive, he was never allowed to forget how easily his heritage had come to him, and how earnestly he must prepare for it.

When he was 17, in 1850, Albert and Victoria sent him the Order of the Garter, with a massive memorandum on how to behave. It was the moment in his life when Bertie was smelling the intoxicating scent of spring in the air. But the memorandum swiftly drove off the perfume of youth.

"A gentle-

man," it coldly reminded him, "does not indulge in carelessness, self-indulging ways such as rolling in armchairs or on sofas. He does not place himself in unbecoming attitudes... It ran on for page after page, prating, chiding, warning and rebuking. The young Prince of Wales burst into tears.

DUTY?

ALBERT had a stern German dislike of English public schools, and was determined that his son should never attend one.

He did, however, expect him to embrace some form of university education, and sent him, in bewildering succession, to Edinburgh, Cambridge, and Oxford.

He was never allowed to remain long enough at any of these to make lasting friends. He had to live privately.

"About Commem balls," Albert wrote to his son on one occasion, "I trust you to understand that the balls you visit are not visited by you for your amusement but to give others pleasure by your presence."

All in all, Albert made a mess of his son's early life. Did he do it out of a mistaken sense of duty? Or was there a deep, subconscious resentment against the boy because he was so easily assuming the rank his father could never attain?

BLIND SPOT

CERTAINLY, Albert never relaxed his pressure on his son. Wise and forbearing as he was in so many things, his blind spot was this child of his.



It is hinted in royal biographies that one of the contributory reasons for Albert's death was his acute distress over Bertie's conduct.

Bertie was now back at the university and word reached the royal parents of an escapade in which the son was involved with a woman.

"It broke my angel's heart," wrote Victoria. Although unwell at the time, and threatened with a severe chill, Albert journeyed to see his son and lectured him. He returned to Windsor next day, obviously worse.

Within two weeks he was dead from typhoid.

HUMANITY?

VICTORIA'S grief was overwhelming. Her eldest son was by no means so distressed. Nor, it must be admitted, were the British people.

They had come to admire and respect the consort of their great Queen, but it would be untruthful to say that he ever gained their enthusiasm.

He had ideas and a dedicated sense of duty towards the country of his adoption, but he lacked the humanity, the common touch, the weaknesses and failings which might have endeared him to the nation.

HAS THE PALACE LEARNED?

WHEN Prince Albert died Queen Victoria commissioned a biography. Its publication dismayed the Royal Family by the revelation of intimate details. But the Queen was unperturbed, and to a daughter who presumed to protest she wrote: "Then you must also remember that endless false and untrue things have been written and said about us, public and private, and that in these days people will write and will know: therefore the only way to counteract this is to let the real, full truth be known, and as much as can be told with prudence and discretion; and then no harm, but good will be done."

TWO VISCOUNT AIRLINERS ARE BORN A WEEK — 180 ARE FLYING

EVERY three days this year a new Viscount turbo-prop airliner will be ready for its first flight. That is the planned production rate for Britain's best-selling airliner.

Viscounts are rolling off the assembly lines at Weybridge (where the works are in the middle of the old Brooklands car race track), and at Hurn, near Bournemouth.

Already 180 Viscounts have been built and are now flying in all parts of the world. Among them are 60 ordered by Capital Airlines, of Washington, U.S.A., for its United States "domestic" services. Com-

plication of the £23,900,000 order from the American airline has just been achieved six weeks ahead of schedule. Vickers are now working on a repeat order.

The Viscount was the world's first propeller-jet airliner. BEA have been flying them for nearly three years; and still the only other in-service airliner of its is the British Britannia.

Viscounts now coming off the assembly lines are the new 800's, slightly bigger and more powerful than the earlier models. Later Viscounts will be even more powerful and will fly at 400 m.p.h.

James Stuart

Yet not long ago foreign critics of the British aircraft industry were saying we had no production capacity to back our "nice designs."

The Viscount story shows how wrong they were.

And while Viscounts emerge from the Brook-



"Cornflakes taste so much better with brown sugar, oh, Mummy!"

It makes all the difference

TAIKOO SOFT BROWN SUGAR

This Funny World



"Take a lick, Mrs Nesbit. We're trying to teach him to be generous"

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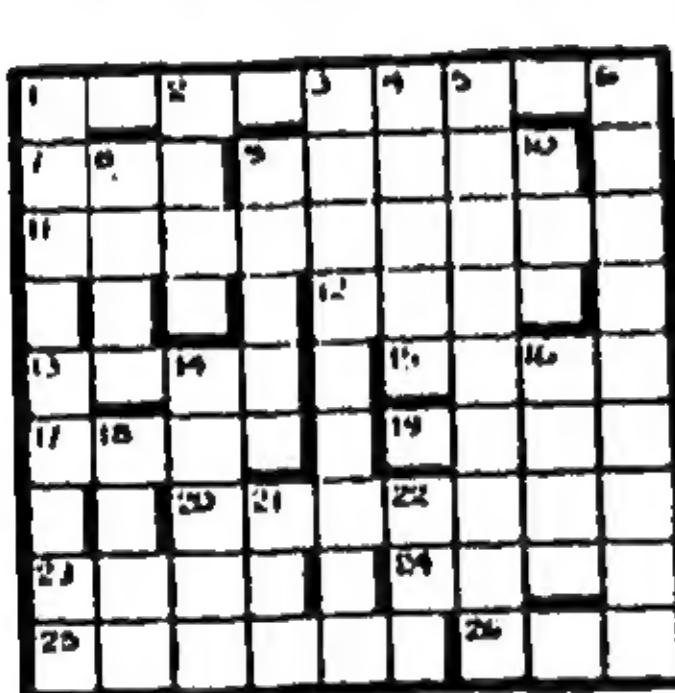
THE Dusbin Question has been complicated by accusations that certain Corporations, instead of treating the contents of the bins as the property of the Corporation qua Corporation, are in the habit of selecting the choicer morsels of garbage and refuse for themselves.

One official has collected 11 port-damaged sprouts, four ounces of tea-leaves, the backbone of a kipper, the fil of a red mullet, and enough cheese-rind to make a model of Basingstoke gasworks. In future an inspector is to padlock all bins on removal. Another inspector will unlock them at the refuse-cart, and make an inventory of the contents in quadruplicate and in block letters.

Here we are again

THE seven-year-old boy who stabb'd someone, stole from his parents and from shops, and absented himself

CROSSWORD



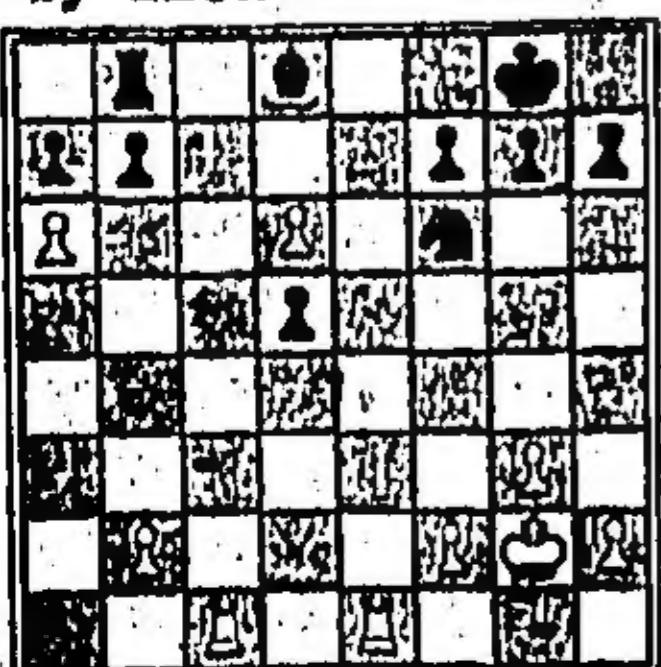
1. Does she always grip my...? 7. Epsom without the afterwards. (8) 9. Chimes for a Down. (5) 11. Initials of a well-diphthonged... (9) 12. Town that the fair's undertaken. 13. Across is one of the principal actors at this. (4) 15. Slip... may close the circle. 16. Last part. (4) 17. A former railway company provided the... (4) 18. Not quite the... (4) 19. The baby has a Latin look about it. (7) 22. Just the lager for... (4) 23. ... the end. (4) 25. Crown a little crown. (4) 26. That's the lot. (5)

Down
1. Take Mao away and only the spirit remains. (9) 2. ... is worth watching over. (4) 3. They're wonderful. (9) 4. ... the world in to report on. (9) 5. This sort of knowledge doesn't depend on books. (9) 6. No one can report this at the bureau of missing... (4) 7. Starts of many a fairy story. (4) 9. A country added to 13 across? (10) 10. ... at the end. (3) 11. ... in b's r. (4) 12. ... not at WATERBURY. (10) 13. South Africa. (10) 14. ... to the North. (10) 15. ... in the ... (10) 16. ... certainly not. (10) 20. ... down. (10) 21. ... much about nothing. (10) 22. Snake wear. (5)

Answers, 26

CHESS

by LEONARD BARDEEN



From actual play: White to move and win.

Solution to yesterday's problem:

1. R×P! (third 2-0-2) Mate changes after the black self-pins on A7.

• JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Declarer Flops On Guesswork

By OSWALD JACOBY

WHEN South looked at dummy, he wished that he had bid less ambitiously. The slam was possible but not probable. In actuality the cards lay so that South could hardly fail to make his contract against ordinary defence, but East and West found a way to allow him to set himself.

South won the opening club lead and proceeded to cash the other two high clubs in order to discard a low spade from dummy. He next played the ace and another spade. East rose with the king, and South was really pleased when West dropped the queen. Now all he needed was to pick up the trumps.

East saw little future in any lead, but decided to play his nine of spades anyway. Declarer played the jack, and West trumped with the queen. Of course this was overruled with dummy's king, but now declarer had a problem in the trump suit.

He played the jack of diamonds from dummy, and both opponents followed. He led the

NORTH (D) 8
♦ A53
♥ A87
♦ KJ84
♦ J2

WEST 4
♦ Q98765432
♦ Q985432
♦ K98765432

EAST 8
♦ K94
♥ 932
♦ 12
♦ 10864

SOUTH 4
♦ J10862
♥ K9
♦ A965
♦ A8KQ

Neither side vul.
North East South West
1♦ Pass 1♦ Pass Pass
2♦ Pass 3♦ Pass Pass
4♦ Pass 5♦ Pass Pass
5♦ Pass 6♦ Pass Pass
Pass Pass

Opening lead → 3

eight from dummy and East followed. Who had the missing ten-spot?

It seemed no real problem to South. Why would East want to kill his partner's queen of trumps unless he, East, thought he could develop a trump trick in his own hand? South let the eight ride, and West pounced with the ten to defeat the contract.

Declarer should have gone after trumps right away and taken the normal second-round finesse. This would have worked, whereupon he would have had no difficulties.

TARGET
How many four-letter or more words can you make from the squares on the left in the word? The letters in each of the small squares may be used, but each word must contain the large letter in the centre square, and there must be at least one letter word to the right. No plurals: no foreign words; no proper names. **TODAY'S TARGET** is tomorrow's word very good. Go words, excellent. **Results** tomorrow.

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What do you do?

Answer Tomorrow

YOUR BIRTHDAY ... By STELLA

FRIDAY, MARCH 8

BORN today, you are one of those executive types with strong convictions and exceptional judgment. You are able to hold your own, and, if given the time to come, and although you may be considered extreme in your own time, you will receive acceptance. You are very popular, and your friends are strong and you are affectionate. You will find great happiness in your home and family, and you are the centre of your social life, since you are an outstanding host or hostess.

Among those born on this date were: Stuart Chase, economist; Catherine Lorillard Wolfe, philanthropist; George Trapp, author; Albert E. Steiner, artist, and George Gibbs, author.

To find what the stars have in store for you tomorrow, select your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. Let your daily guide, "Willy, I'm a star," tell you what is in store for you.

You are a good critic of the arts, especially music, and your life work will make critics of your life work with great success. It is also likely that you would do well in law, for you have the ability to weigh the material evidence, and present only that which is congenital to your case. Your belief in protecting the rights of others probably will make

you a forceful protagonist for the underprivileged in society.

Inclined to be speculative, you may need to guard against outbursts of temper. But like the fighting spirit, you usually wait for something important to happen before you let your temper loose. You are strong and you are affectionate. You will find great happiness in your home and family, and you are the centre of your social life, since you are an outstanding host or hostess.

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Willy smiled his thanks.

Plenty Of Room

"Of course," Squire added, "we're very busy all summer. All the rooms in our little hotel were taken by summer guests. But there's plenty of room now. Sit down in those rocking chairs won't you? I think I'll take a bit of a rest myself."

Knarf and Willy sat down on the front porch. Squire Squirrel stretched himself out on a deck chair with his tall, pointed tail behind him.

The front porch was at the foot of the Maple Tree. In the trunk of the tree just behind where they were sitting there was an opening inside the hollow

Just The Thing For Garden Parties



WOMANSENSE

HOW TO GET ALONG WITH YOUR HUSBAND - 2

The WRONG Kind Of Quarrel May Ruin Your Home Life

by EILEEN ASCROFT

Lesson... that to conduct a marital quarrel successfully you must preserve a sense of humour.

A good blazing row is a safety valve in any marriage. It relieves the nerves and gets all those irritating little resentments safely off your chest. But if a quarrel is going to leave no sting, you must be able to laugh about it afterwards.

The occasional row is a healthy sign of a normal human relationship. It is the petty quarrelling, the constant attempt to denigrate, or repeated nagging, that are the danger signs of a sick marriage.

FOUR TYPES

There are four types of women who run the most risk of ruining their home life with the wrong kind of quarrel.

THE MOANER—She never really lets her hair down and has a good verbal battle. Constant moaning is her weapon. She is mighty sorry for herself and she wants the world to know about it, particularly the man on whom she blames it all.

There is only one cure for this type of woman. And it can only come from within herself. Sit down with a pencil and paper and list the solid advantages that come from your marriage. Then write on the debit side the things you would lose without it. You will soon decide where the balance lies and start being more grateful.

THE DENIGRATOR—She may love her husband madly, but she just can't bear to hear him praised. If he tells an amusing story at a dinner party, she feels impelled to point out that it is part of his stock in trade.

Don't you realise, Madam, that this earing rebounds on your own head, not your husband's? People will think none the less of your husband whatever you say, but they will condemn your lack of manners.

THE BAD SPORT—She is good company while things are running smoothly. But wait till something goes wrong and watch her sulk.

This is the kind of woman that husbands leave flat for plainer, less talented females who know how to make the most of a disappointment.

THE TOO-HOUSEPROUD—If dirty footmarks spoil her



The Mooner



The Denigrator



The Bad Sport



The Too-Houseproud

polished floor, she regards it as a major crime.

The tragedy is that it all springs from her housewife instincts to keep everything neat and clean. She has let it run riot and forgotten that the home is primarily for the mutual relaxation and enjoyment of both husband and wife.

MILESTONES

Today's mail doesn't appear to appreciate his wife's homemaking efforts it is probably because she has never told him anything about it. Men like to hear about household problems and shopping difficulties at the right time and as long as the anecdotes are interesting.

And with wives who complain that they are starved of affection I have no patience at all. The way to attract affection is to give it without thought of a return. Every scruffy stray dog knows this.

I asked Victor Mature, with two wrecked marriages to his credit, what he thought was the chief factor that led to serious marital quarrels. He sums it up in one word—JEALOUSY.

In well-adjusted households there should be a certain sentiment about important quarrels, for these are the milestones towards closer understanding.

Marriage Score

If you want to discover some of the sterling assets of your own marriage, answer YES or NO to these six questions:

Has my marriage...
Made life more interesting...
Improved my looks...
Given me better health...
Brought me happiness...
Given me more purpose...

Score key: YES six times reveals real success.

Five is above average, four good and three fair. But if your rating is under three, here is proof you are not getting out of your marriage all you owe to your husband or to yourself.

TOMORROW: The Other Woman.

try spending their vacation above ground."

"And did they have a good time?" Willy asked.

Squire Squirrel shook his head.

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"And then Miss Butterfly came for a week-end. She fluttered about a good deal but everyone was very fond of her. She wore the most beautiful yellow and gold dress anyone had ever seen. Oswald Tree Toad would sit at hours just gazing at her."

Squire Squirrel reached into his coat pocket and took out a little book.

"I've got all the names here. Ah, here we are."

"The Wren family came as usual. They were very pleasant folk and their children were all well-behaved. Not at all like Squire Squirrel Manager."

"Indeed we did," said Squire. "Sends of folks!" "Who were they?" Knarf asked.

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"But soon her friends and relations began coming to see her. And they, all decided to stay, too. It wasn't long before they thought they'd like to

spend their vacation above ground."

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RACING GAVE THEM RICHES

The Owner Who Hid In The Hayloft To Avoid Creditors

By PERCY RUDD

Of all the curious characters who have flitted across the pages of racing history none was odder than Thomas Parr. Originally an itinerant hawker of tea in the villages of Devon and Cornwall, he became a highly successful trainer of race-horses at Fyfield, Wantage, on the edge of the Berkshire Downs.

Parr was a positive genius in divining and developing the possibilities of horses. He got hold of several really good ones on the cheap and did such wonders with them that he won two St Leger's, two Ascot Gold Cups, the Cambridgeshire in two successive seasons and the Cesarewitch. Yet he never had any money.

A man with a brain for finance and an appreciation of his betting opportunities would have won fortunes on the horses that he owned and trained. But Parr lived most of his days in such a state of chronic impetuosity that he was accustomed to concealing himself in his hayloft at Wantage while the faithful head-lau down below was explaining to angry and persistent creditors that the master was in some other part of the country.

On one occasion Parr took a horse to run at York, overlooking the fact that he had left the city after a former visit without completing the formalities of settling his hotel bill. But the local police had not forgotten and the debtor was arrested and imprisoned in the Castle.

The head-lau was equal to this emergency. He took the horse to the races, saddled him and backed him with borrowed money. After the horse had won he went to the Castle, paid the debt and secured his master's release. Surely the only case on record of an owner being bought out of prison by the proceeds of a bet made with a loan!

SOLD FOR £40

One of the best horses Parr ever had, Weathergage, was a

FA CUP REPLAY

One Nil Victory Puts Birmingham C. In Semi-Finals

Nottingham, Mar. 7. An opportunistic goal shortly after the interval gave Birmingham City a 1-0 victory over Nottingham Forest in their quarter-final English Football Association Cup replay here today.

Birmingham, who fought out a goalless draw with the Second Division side at Birmingham last Saturday, will next meet the favourites, Manchester United, for a place in the final.

The Birmingham area will thus provide three of the four semi-finalists on March 23, as the other clash will be between Aston Villa and West Bromwich Albion.

Both Birmingham and Nottingham kept up a great pace throughout an exciting game, and strong defences were kept at full stretch. Inside-left Peter Murphy hit the winning goal in the 53rd minute when he darted through the home defence to reach a long pass and shoot home from ten yards' range.

11-8 FAVOURITES

Manchester United were made 11-8 favourites for the English Football Association Cup competition at the callow at Victoria Club here tonight.

West Bromwich Albion were quoted as 3-1.

Birmingham, United's semi-final opponents, were next at 7-2, and Aston Villa, who met West Bromwich in the semi-final, were the outsiders at 9-2. China Mail Special.

THE GAMBOLES



By Barry Appleby



TOOLS

TODAY'S MATCHES

At Kowloon:

1.30 p.m. Junior Ladies Singlet: Miss Lillian Wu v. Miss Wong Yim.

3.30 p.m. Mixed Doubles: If. w. Li and Miss Connie Yung v. Miss Chan and Mrs. B. W. Chan.

5.30 p.m. Ladies Singlet: Mrs. Lillian Wu v. Miss Connie Yung.

7.30 p.m. Ladies Singlet: Mrs. Connie Yung v. Miss Lillian Wu.

8.30 p.m. Mixed Doubles: If. w. Li and Mrs. B. W. Chan v. Miss Connie Yung.

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Fancied For The Lincoln



The four-year-old colt Idle Rocks, seen here with D. Smith up, is to be ridden by Harry Carr in the Lincolnshire Handicap, to be run over one mile at Lincoln on March 27. He will carry 8 st. 8 lb. Although Idle Rocks has disappointed his followers by a number of bad starts during his career, he has been taken in hand by Tamworth trainer S. Mercer and is well fancied for the Lincoln.—Reuterphoto.

Junior Badminton Championships

Rosemary Drew made her debut in the Colony Junior Badminton Championships which got off to a flying start with five ties completed at the Club de Recreio last night.

Showing not a trace of nervousness, Miss Drew impressed spectators with an array of strokes against Miss Connie Young before being eliminated in straight sets of 11-2, 11-1.

Forceful in her strokes this newcomer will, I am sure, improve by leaps and bounds with more competitive playing. What impressed was her deep baseline lob shot which had depth and accuracy and her smashes, while not powerful enough to earn her points, were executed with the finesse of a seasoned campaigner.

Miss Connie Young, too, showed a vast improvement from her last year's performance. Her courtcraft was the deciding factor in her two-set victory over her opponent. In the match Miss Young dictated the pace and in several rallies her neat placements more often than not had Rosemary Drew on the wrong foot.

The match of the evening was the Mixed Doubles in which Ho Bing-nam and Miss Tsui Yuen-chun triumphed over Young Wing-soon and Miss Winnie Chan in a drawn-out struggle for supremacy before victory went to Ho and Miss Tsui at 15-15, 18-15.

Miss Chan played a very good game at the net but her partner found the fast return of Ho Bing-nam too exhausting for him to cope with.

THE RESULTS

Ladies Singles: Miss Connie Yung beat Miss Lillian Wu 11-3, 11-1.

Ladies Doubles: Miss H. L. Tsui and Miss Winnie Chan beat Misses Tsui and Winnie 11-3, 11-2.

Mixed Doubles: Ho Bing-nam and Miss Tsui Yuen-chun beat Young Wing-soon and Miss Winnie Chan 15-15, 18-15.

Junior Men's Singles: Cyril J. Chan beat Yang Kai-wai 13-11, 15-2.

Junior Men's Doubles: If. w. Li and Dr. Lee Po-hui v. Misses Wong Yim-yim and Miss Winnie Chan 15-13, 15-13.

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World Table Tennis Championships

Three Consecutive 5-0 Victories For Japan In Swaythling Cup

Stockholm, Mar. 7. The Japanese cup holders showed brilliant form, winning three consecutive five to nil victories without losing a single set when the Swaythling Cup team championship started here today.

Ichiro Ogiura, Men's Singles title holder, demonstrated striking form and never left his opponents any chance. Sweden also scored three victories, but the difference in playing strength of the two countries is enormous.

Apparently the final struggle will be an affair between Japan and Czechoslovakia, who scored two straight wins in Group Three today. But the Chinese and the Hungarians, headed by the former World Champion, Ferenc Sido and the new star, Zoltan Bereczik, might be strong rivals for the titles.

In the Corbillon Cup, the Hungarian girls, winners last year, had two easy 3-0 victories, but the Chinese girls in the group won all their three matches as did the United States. As for Group Two, it is difficult to judge the strength of the teams as two of the nations, Vietnam and Brazil, withdrew. Consequently, one of the favourites, the Japanese, only had to play one match.

The championships continue tomorrow with three more sessions.—

Japan defeated South Africa by 5-0 in a Group Two Swaythling Cup team match (Men) for the World Table Tennis Championship here tonight. This was the Japanese team's third successive 5-0 win.

In Group Three, Australia beat Norway by 5-0 and Czechoslovakia beat Denmark by 5-0.

Japan and Sweden were leading in the Swaythling Cup tonight, after each had played three matches and won

COLONY TENNIS

Ip And Lo In Doubles Final

By "TOUCHWOOD"

Ip Koon-hung, the reigning Colony Grasscourt Singles Champion, entered the second final of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association Championships when in partnership with Norman Lo he beat V. T. Wang and George Chou 6-2, 6-0, 6-4 in the Open Doubles event at Chater Road.

Ip's sound all-round play was the winning factor in the match, plus the good support given him by Lo at the net, and this pair on their showing yesterday should have nothing to worry about when they meet Edwin Tsai and Tsui Wai-pui in the final on Tuesday.

The winners took the first four games of the first set with comparative ease but dropped two when Tsai and partner rippled through their services with ease that had Ip and Lo completely beaten.

The second set was a runaway victory for Ip and Lo for they reeled off six games in a row for a love set win and the third and final set saw Edwin Tsai trying desperately hard to pull the game out of the fire, but the best this pair could do was to take four games out of ten.

INSTRUCTIONS: Fill in the spaces against each of the clues below with a word related to my life. The letters in each spell out my name. Who am I?

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HKAAC TEAM FOR SUNDAY

three, with 15 winning games to no defeats, and three points.

Placings in Group One were:

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China	2	2	0	10	0	2
Russia	2	2	0	10	0	2
Belgium	2	1	1	10	4	1
Portugal	2	1	1	8	2	1
Luxembourg	2	0	2	10	0	0
Switzerland	2	0	2	10	0	0
Scotland	2	0	2	10	0	0

Group Two

	P	W	L	Won	Lost	Pts
Sweden	3	3	0	15	0	3
Vietnam	3	2	1	10	4	2
Hungary	2	2	0	6	2	1
Scotland	2	1	1	6	2	1
Czechoslovakia	2	1	1	5	2	1
France	2	1	1	5	2	1
Germany	2	0	2	10	0	0
Ireland	2	0	2	10	0	0
Canada	2	0	2	10	0	0
South Africa	2	0	3	0	10	0
Italy	2	0	3	0	10	0

Group Three

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Yugoslavia	2	2	0	10	0	2
England	2	2	0	10	0	2
Hungary	2	2	0	10	0	2
Austria	2	1	1	9	1	1
Spain	2	0	2	10	0	0
Wales	2	0	2	10	0	0
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THE HONGKONG AND
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Ordinary Yearly General
Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY
GIVEN that the Ordinary
Yearly General Meeting of the
Shareholders of the Cor-
poration will be held at the
Head Office of the Cor-
poration, 1, Queen's Road Central
Hong Kong, on Friday, the
16th day of March, 1957, at
Noon for the purpose of re-
ceiving and considering the
reports of the Directors and
of the Auditors and the Profit
and Loss Account and Balance
Sheet for the year ended 31st
December, 1956, and for the
election of Directors and the
appointment of Auditors.

THE REGISTER OF
SHARES of the Corporation
will be closed from Friday,
the 1st day of March to
Friday, the 16th day of
March, 1957, (both days
inclusive) during which
period no transfer of shares
can be registered.

By Order of the Board,
MICHAEL W. TURNER,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong,
11th January, 1957.

NOTICE

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA,
LIMITED

Thirty - Eighth Ordinary
Yearly General Meeting

Notice is hereby given that
the Ordinary Yearly General
Meeting of the Shareholders
of the Bank will be held at
the Head Office of the Bank,
10, Des Voeux Road, Central,
Hong Kong, on Saturday, the
9th day of March, 1957, at
2.30 p.m., for the purpose of
receiving and considering the
Reports of the Directors and
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The Register of Shares of
the Bank will be closed from
Saturday, 2nd March, 1957, to
Saturday, 9th March, 1957
(both days inclusive) during
which period no transfer of
shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board,
KAN TONG PO,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 11th Feb., 1957.

SWEDISH CHAMBER
OF COMMERCE
LONDON JUBILEE

London, Mar. 7.

Swedish businessmen in London are preparing to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce here while their King and Queen are in England on an unofficial visit in April.

One of the few public engagements which King Gustav VI Adolf will undertake during his visit is to attend a banquet to be held at the Mansion House on April 16 in celebration of the Jubilee.

The importance of the occasion as a milestone in the long and close relationship between Britain and Sweden is emphasised by the fact that His Royal Highness Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, has also accepted an invitation to attend.

Economic Leaders
Those present at the banquet will include some of the chief economic and industrial leaders of both Britain and Sweden as well as representatives of official organisations concerned with Anglo-Swedish trade and relations.

It was King Gustav VI Adolf who, as Crown Prince of Sweden, formally opened the present building of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce and its Luncheon Club, on October 12, 1920. The building, on Trinity Square, Tower Hill, stands within a stone's throw of the river which forms part of one of the important shipping lanes linking Britain and Sweden.

Since the war, Sweden has been Britain's most important trading partner in Europe. In past years, the value of their trade has reached over £100,000,000 a year.

Bombed
During World War II, when the Trinity House, home of the Corporation, and the lighthouses and other services of England and Wales and also is the chief

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Not Feasible
The actual birthday of the Swedish Chamber of Commerce fell on February 11, the date on which, in 1807, it attained full legal status by the grant of the certificate of incorporation by the Board of Trade. This formal incorporation was the culmination of talks and planning which had begun only 12 months previously to a visitation of Swedish business men to London to discuss prospects for a Swedish exhibition which was proposed to hold in the British capital in the following year.

The House adopted the Senate version of the resolution which Mr Eisenhower sought on an urgent basis two months ago. The Senate passed the Bill on Tuesday night, 72-10.

The measure also gives Mr Eisenhower greater leeway in spending 200 million dollars (£70 million sterling) in military-economic aid in the area between now and July 1.

It now goes to the President for signature.—Reuter.

ITALY'S NATO FORCE KEYED TO
SOUTHERN DEFENCE

Rome, Mar. 7.

Italy now has the largest armed forces in Europe directly under the command of the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation.

Reconquered after their defeat in World War II and integrated in the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation's defence plan, Italy's forces are keyed to defend the strategic Mediterranean area, meeting place of Europe, the Middle East and Africa.

The 1947 Peace Treaty between Italy and the "Big Four" wartime allies envisaged Italy as a militarily crippled power. Yet today, six years after the creation of the Atlantic Alliance Forces, Italy has a small but efficient fighting force ready to defend her Alpine frontier.

KEYNOTE

The keynote of Italian defence preparations is "co-operation." The Italian Minister for Defence, Signor Emilio Taviani, in a recent statement in Parliament, said: "No nation can be self-sufficient in the event of a worldwide conflagration. Italy's defence is guaranteed only in so far as it fits into the picture of the defence of the Atlantic Community."

The Combined Headquarters of Allied Land, Sea and Air Forces, Southern Europe, is at Naples, under the command of Admiral Robert P. Briscoe, of the United States Navy. It was his predecessor, Admiral Robert Carney, who once said that "wars are won or lost in the Mediterranean and the Mediterranean is defended by defending the Po Valley."

Thirty miles north of the navigable river Po, at Verona, a point within Italy's Alpine arc, General Clemente Primenti commands all Allied land forces in Southern Europe.

Prominent among units under his command are a number of United States atomic units which are available to non-American forces to supply non-American forces with tactical atomic weapons.

He explained that the law prohibited the transfer of nuclear elements to non-American forces, but not their shipment abroad under American control. In the event of a war involving North Atlantic Treaty countries, the United States would immediately make available to non-American forces atomic warheads, for use in missiles like "Corporal," fitted either for atomic or conventional warheads.

ITALIAN STRENGTH

A spokesman of the Italian Ministry of Defence outlined the strength of Italian armed forces as at January 1, 1957, as follows:

ARMY—3 armoured divisions, 10 infantry divisions, 5 alpine brigades.

NAVY—3 cruisers, 9 destroyers, 12 frigates, 5 submarines.

AIR FORCE—7 fighter squadrons, 2 transport and reconnaissance squadrons.

Two more destroyers are expected to be commissioned during 1957. Italian-made earth-to-air guided missiles for anti-aircraft defence have been successfully tested and will be taken into service soon, while the essentials of a nation-wide radar network have been completed.

Many millions of American dollars have helped Italy to rebuild her armed forces—notably through the off-shore procurement programme" by which Italian industry, financed by United States aid, has produced weapons and aircraft for Italian defence.

An anti-aircraft gun described as the most complex weapon ever developed by co-operation between nations of the Atlantic Community was recently completed here after two and a half years of intensive research by engineering experts not only of the United States and Italy, but also of six other member nations of the Community.

WINGED LION

Italy has herself devoted large sums to defence. Since 1949, the year in which she joined the Atlantic Pact, Italy's annual defence budget has soared from £172,000,000 to £289,000,000 for the 1956-57 financial year.

Of this latter sum, slightly less than half was devoted to the army.

Italian soldiers under the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation Command, in Southern Europe, wear the winged Lion of Saint Mark as their symbol—the lion which for centuries in the past represented the power of the Most Serene Republic of Venice. They are determined, side by side with their comrades in arms from the other countries of the Atlantic Community, successfully to defend the civilization which dates back to those "Three China" States.

New Blood-Pressure Device For Pilots

Eisenhower
Doctrine
Passed

Washington, Mar. 7.

The House of Representatives today passed a resolution declaring that the United States was willing to resist possible Communist aggression in the Middle East by force if necessary.

The House adopted the Senate version of the resolution which Mr Eisenhower sought on an urgent basis two months ago. The Senate passed the Bill on Tuesday night, 72-10.

The measure also gives Mr Eisenhower greater leeway in spending 200 million dollars (£70 million sterling) in military-economic aid in the area between now and July 1.

It now goes to the President for signature.—Reuter.

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TRADE and COMMERCE SECTION

STOCK EXCHANGE AGAIN DULL

Turnover Drops To \$2.5 Million

MIDDLE EAST NEWS

By A SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT

Good balance sheets, good dividends but the Hongkong Stock Exchange continued dull this week.

Turnover dropped from just over \$3 million to slightly more than \$2.5 million of which \$943,000 was transacted yesterday.

Brokers are at a loss to explain why.

One possibility is that the market was waiting for the news of the Israeli withdrawal from Egyptian territory. There may have been local fears that the continued presence in Sharm el Sheikh and Gaza threatened a new conflagration.

NEW HIGH

If this is so, yesterday's increased activity might have been due to the news that the Israeli Parliament had finally approved Mt. David Ben Gurion's withdrawal policy.

The only other suggestion is that a rather vague one, in that it was from a broker who said money may be going into other forms of investment, without specifying which form.

MARKET DIARY

Here is a day of the market this week:

Friday: Slight appreciation in China Light and Hongkong Electric's shares following the announcement that the Government would not interfere with increased charges. T.O. \$600,000.

Monday: Quotations featureless. T.O. \$390,000.

Tuesday: Last day of light-scale trading. T.O. \$392,000.

Wednesday: Trading at a bare minimum. T.O. \$117,000.

Thursday: No material change. Trading on an erratic scale with Landa well supported. T.O. \$943,000.

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

(From Our Correspondent)

Business done on the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to \$200,000. Quotations and the morning's transactions:

Shares Buyers Sellers Sales

BANKS HK Bank X.D. 1500

East Asia X.D. 342

INSURANCES Lombard 920

Wheclock 6.00 6.03 1000 6.00

DOCKS, ETC. K. Wharf 101 103

K. Wharf 22.70 22.70 1000 22.70

Piers (O) 12.20 10.50 500 12.20

Shai Dock 130 1000 13.00

LAND, ETC. HK Land 14.70 15.10

Humphreys 17.10 1000 17.10

R.R. 1.35 1.40 1000 1.40

RUBBER Amalg. 1,400 1,425 25,400 1,425

Trust 22.70 22.70 1000 22.70

UTLITIES K. Land 21.00 22

S.S. Ferry X.D. 138 140

Yamada 105 100

Yamada 22.70 22.70 1000 22.70

Micaud E. 9.70 3014 300 9.70

Telephone X.D. 23.80 24

700 23.20

250 23.20

350 23.20

INDUSTRIALS Cement 32.14 33 100 32.34

Ropes, ETC. 10 10.20 600 10.10

Watson X. All 11.20 11.30

COTTONS 8.05 8.00 500 8.00

MISCELLANEOUS Vibro 350 350 10.80

INVESTMENTS 5.85 5.85

Allied 4.00

★ The Share Market At A Glance ★

	Feb 7	Feb 14	Feb 21	Feb 28	Mar 7	Up or down
HK Bank Lombard	1000b	1010b	1015	1055b	1050	-5
Union	38a	37.5a	38a	38a	38a	steady
Wheclock	0.75	0.75	0.85	0.90	0.85	-5
HK Wharf	97.5	102	100.5	100b	102	+5
HK Ducks	45xd	46.5a	47.5	48.5	47.5	-7.5
Provident	13.40m	13.40	13.30	13.30	13.30	steady
HK Hotels	15.20	15.30	15.50	15.00	15	-5.00
HK Lands	61	63.5	64.5	64	64	steady
HK Realty	1.40b	1.425	1.425	1.40m	1.375m	-2.5%
HK Trams	33.50	33.40	33.20	32.90m	21.50xd	+100
Star Ferry	148	144	142m	138mxd	138mxd	steady
Yamada	104	104	105b	105	105	steady
CH Lights	23.10	22.90	23	22.80	22.90	+100
Electrics	31.1	31	30.5	30.5	30.5	steady
HK Telephone	24.00	25.40	25.70	25.80xd	25.80xd	+100
G.I. Cement	38.50	38.5	37.5	37.5	37.5	steady
Daiji Farm	15.90	16.10	16.10	16.10	16.10	0.00
A.S. Watson	13.90b	14	14.20	14.20m	11.30mxd	-100
Yangtze	0.10n	0.10n	0	0n	5.80b	-200
Allied	4.85m	4.85m	4.80	4.85m	4.80a	steady
HK & PE Inv.	9.75b	9.70b	9.75m	10	10	+250
Textile Corp.	4.70	4.70	4.70	4.75b	4.75b	+50
Nanyang	8.35	8.40	8.25	8.10m	8	-100

AFRICANS RETURN TO WORK

Part Elizabeth, Mar. 7
The first of 1,000 African casual labourers sent to stevedores on the docks to work here this morning and to the dock strike breakers to be sent to the port of Durban have been welcomed home from the docks.

The Africans have returned to work under difficult conditions, according to a spokesman for employers. Their demands for a minimum wage still being negotiated.

Africans returning to work in the morning were received by the free fare expected agitators who were told of employment.

Cape Mail Special

WALL STREET PROGRESS INTERRUPTED BY DEFLATIONARY TALK

New York, Mar. 7
Another interruption to stock market progress came today on the heels of renewed deflationary talk.

Stocks lost a few cents on average—their first decline in five sessions. President Eisenhower announced that it might be necessary to slow up Federal spending on some projects to relieve inflationary pressures.

In this same vein US Rubber Co. President H. F. Humpreys, Jr., charged that the Government's "unsound" and "reckless" spending policies are endangering economic growth and personal freedom in America.

The declines for the most part were small ones and volume lightened—to 1,830,000 shares from 1,840,000 on Wednesday. There was little consistency to group movements.

Paper stocks, hardly trend-setters, had about the best group performance.

Fractionally

Chrysler chief Wednesday

feature with its gains of more than 3 points, backed down fractionally on profit-taking despite the statement by its financial vice-president that sales of the company may exceed 1 billion in the first quarter, making it the best quarter in the company's history.

It was, however, the most actively traded issue. Ford and General Motors also eased.

There were declines of over a point in United and Boeing in the aircrafts, Aluminum and National Lead in the metals, Seaboard in the oils, Youngstown Sheet & Tube in the steels.

Industrials fell 11 to 71.30. The utilities gave ground with the rest of the list after touching a new 25-year high in their average in early dealings.

Of the total 1,114 issues traded, 443 were higher, 423 lower, 250 unchanged with six at new highs, five at new lows.

NY Stock Exchange bond volume was \$3,700,000.

American Stock Exchange volume was 890,000 shares.

Closing Prices

New York, Mar. 7
Volume and open interest on the New York Cotton Exchange today were:Volume Open Interest
Mar. 8,040 28,400
Mar. 20,000 144,600
May 6,000 107,600
July 4,000 104,600
Sept. 4,700 69,800
Dec. 3,200 51,200
Mar. 500 30,000
Total 52,600 637,600 bales

—United Press.

LIVERPOOL

Liverpool, Mar. 7
Cotton futures closings in Pence per lb. were as follows:Old contract Mar/Apr. 25.05
May/June 26.15
July/Aug. 25.47
Sept. 25.47
Dec/Jan. 23.31New contract Mar/Apr. 24.92
May/June 25.52
July/Aug. 25.48
Oct/Nov. 25.58
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LONDON METAL PRICES

London, Mar. 7
Prices of metals closed today in sterling per long ton as follows:

Buyers Sellers

Tin spot 763 768

3-month 750 751

Copper spot 241 232

3-month 235 236

Lead in bar May 112.5 112.5

Zinc 1st half Mar. 88 88.5

June 88.5 88.5

Barley 132 132

May 132 132

July 132 132

Sept. 132 132

Dec. 132 132

Rye Mar. 134.25 134.25

May 134.25 134.25

Oats Mar. 75.14-5 75.14-5

May 75.14-5 75.14-5

Soybeans No. 2 yellow 243.40-5 243.40-5

May 243.40-5 243.40-5

July 243.40-5 243.40-5

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FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1957.

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JOHN CLARKE'S CASEBOOK

Old School Tie

THERE are some old school ties (and more regimental ones) whose wearing puts the loyalty of those entitled to use them severely to test. Without that loyalty they would, some of them, surely be unsalable, except to the colour-blind.

Robert was cautious therefore, when the invitation was extended to him to acquire a small stock of old school ties.

He was having a drink in a public house near King's Cross when the offer was made. A seedy, anonymous man came up to him, "Like to buy some ties?" the seedy man said in a hoarse whisper.

A CLOCK FROM a battered suitcase he brought out a specimen. Its stripes were subdued, their shades blending so subtly that it might have been designed by a woman of taste (how much brighter the world would be if women wore, say, old school hats).

"How many you got?" Robert asked.

The seedy man opened his case and counted, "Eighteen,"

he said, "let you have them for a quid."

Robert shook his head.

"They're not worth it," he said.

"Tell you what," said the stranger, "let you have this with them." He brought from the case an alarm-clock. Robert shook his head again.

CONFUSION

"I'll give you the case as well. The lot for £1."

Robert paid up and took the ties. He had sold several for £1.6d. each, when one day the police called on him. "Those ties you've been selling," they said, "They were stolen from a school."

At Clerkenwell, Robert, a middle-aged decorator, wearing a plain blue tie, pleaded guilty to receiving stolen property

Five Essentials For A Mid-East Settlement

London, Mar. 7.

Mr Selwyn Lloyd, British Foreign Secretary, tonight set out the five "essentials" for a peaceful settlement of Middle East problems.

Answering questions on an international radio press conference on Britain's foreign policy, Mr Lloyd said they were:

1. The right atmospheric-physical peace on the Arab-Israeli borders, the stopping of raids, infiltration and reprisals.

2. A settlement of the refugee problem.

3. A compromise on the permanent frontiers between the Arab states and Israel.

4. Agreement about the joint use of the waters of the River Jordan.

5. Guarantees for both sides for the Arabs against Israeli territorial expansion and for Israel against any attempt to exterminate the state of Israel.

Mr Lloyd, answering questions on a radio link with journalists in the United States, Canada, West Germany, France and Italy, said the British government had no objection in principle to a permanent United Nations peace supervisory force.

THE TEST

But the test for one was in the experiment of the present United Nations Emergency Force in the Middle East.

"All will turn on whether this particular emergency force does succeed in doing the job entrusted to it."

"If it does then there is great scope for extending the experiment."

Mr Lloyd said he had long felt that there was more chance of peace on the Arab-Israeli frontier "if there are international policemen in sufficient numbers to keep the peace."

Britain would like to see the force "extended beyond the frontiers of Israel and Egypt and the necessary augmentation of its strength for the purpose."

If the UN Emergency Force was to command the confidence of the countries concerned it had to succeed in its task to prevent hostilities, including border raids.—Reuter.

Ben Gurion's Resignation Demanded

Tel-Aviv, Mar. 7.

A crowd of 10,000 people tonight cheered the Herut Party leader, Mr Menachem Begin, when he called for the resignation of Mr David Ben Gurion, Israeli Prime Minister, for the handing over of the Gaza strip and the Gulf of Aqaba area.

It was the biggest attendance at any Herut demonstration.

Mr Begin, former commander-in-chief of the underground terrorist Irgun Zvai Leumi organisation, described Mr Ben Gurion as a "small, broken man."

In what was regarded here as the first move in a drive for new elections, he declared that "despite the shaky vote of confidence in the Knesseth (parliament) yesterday for the withdrawal decision, this is the last elected government which he is going to head."

Mr Begin, who returned from the United States early this morning to address the rally, turned to servicemen in the crowd.

"A government under Herut leadership," he told them, "will still liberate Gaza."

Trains had to be diverted from the city's main artery, and police took precautionary measures as the demonstration began.

The crowds swelled from the square itself to the great synagogue about a mile away up one street.

Many army uniforms were sprinkled among the large crowd from which rose black-draped national flags in sign of mourning for the evacuation of Gaza, and banners reading: "Munich does not lead to peace; it ends with war and suffering."

—Reuter.

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FRIDAY, MARCH 8

Thailand, India, Pakistan, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain & Europe, 6 p.m.

Canada, 6 p.m.

Formosa, U.S.A., 6 p.m.

By Surface

Portuguese, South Africa, S.

Africa, Brazil, Argentina, Parcels direct (N. & S. Rhodesia & Mo-

ambique) Parcels via L. Marques, 3 p.m.

Macao, 6 p.m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 9

By Air

Peking, Shanghai, Hankow, Kun-

ming, Nanking, 7 a.m.

Thailand, Malaya, N. Borneo, Indo-

nesia, Australia, New Zealand, Cey-

lon, 8 a.m.

Philippines, 1 p.m.

Thailand, India, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain, 6 p.m.

Malaya, Indonesia, Australia, New

Zealand, U.S.A., Canada, 6 p.m.

Hawaii, U.S.A., Canada, 6 p.m.

Formosa, Japan, Okinawa, 6 p.m.

By Surface

China, People's Republic, 7 a.m.

Formosa, 7 a.m.

Indonesia, 10 a.m.

N. Borneo, Rabaul, Australia, New

Zealand, 10 a.m.

Macau, 1 p.m.

Aden, Egypt, 3 p.m.

Japan, 4 p.m.

Malaya, Br. S. Africa, P. East

Africa, S. Africa (N. & S. Rhodesia and

and Mozambique) Parcels via L.

Marques, 3 p.m.

India, 5 p.m.

China, People's Republic, 6 p.m.

Macao, 6 p.m.

SUNDAY, MARCH 10

By Air

Philippines, 3 p.m.

Burma, India, Pakistan, Middle

East Africa, Great Britain, 6 p.m.

Japan, 6 p.m.

Formosa, U.S.A., Canada, 6 p.m.

Korea, 6 p.m.

By Surface

Macao, 1 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 11

By Air

Philippines, 3 p.m.

Burma, India, Pakistan, Middle

East Africa, S. Africa (N. & S. Rhodesia and

and Mozambique) Parcels via L.

Marques, 3 p.m.

India, 5 p.m.

China, People's Republic, 6 p.m.

Macao, 6 p.m.

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